

This is very important for these hearing impaired people need the closed captions on either television (news, sports, etc.) or movies in theaters. When I traveled to other cities, I must have closed captioned in the hotel room, so I can read what is going on the news, like a hurricane disaster in Florida. My mother (91 years old, losing her hearing, etc.) lives with me as we did not evacuate from Sanibel to Fort Myers (Hurricane Charley) as we stayed at home, so the power went off, telephone had been disconnected (I use my tdd all the time), and then the water had been turned off. A couple days later after the Hurricane Charley, the telephone had been connected, but the power and the water were not available, then a couple of days later, the water system came back as we need water to use the toilet, but the power had not been connected, because of my TDD was not working, yet. Then finally, the power had been connected for 2 weeks. That is why my TDD is very important to communicate with these hearing impaired people. Thank you and God bless America!